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Ann Pedroza
State of Utah, Office of State Treasurer
E315 State Capitol Complex
Post Office Box 142315
Salt Lake City, Utah 84114-2315

Subject: Authorization for Release of Cash Deposit Held by Utah State Treasurer, Red Leaf Resources, Southwest #1, S/047/0102, Uintah County, Utah

Dear Ms. Pedroza:

The Utah State Treasurer is presently holding funds for the benefit of the State of Utah, Division of Oil, Gas and Mining as a form of reclamation surety for the referenced project. The operator has requested that a portion of the surety be released, and the Division and the School and Institutional Trust Lands Administration concur with the release as follows:

Operator	Total Principal in Account	Mine Name	Permit Number	Amount to be Released	Amount to Remain in Account	Account Number
Red Leaf Resources	\$3,976,201	Southwest #1	S/47/0102	\$183,301	\$3,792,900	

For clarification, the Division is in receipt of the cash release of \$124,391.50 for permit E/47/0062. This is a separate request for a small mine permit also held by Red Leaf Resources. Please make the check to the operator and submit the funds to the Division.

If you have any questions or require further discussion regarding this letter, please contact Penny Berry, bond coordinator, at 801-538-5291, or by e mail at pennyberry@utah.gov.

Sincerely,

Dana Dean, P.E.
Associate Director

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cc: John Blake, SITLA (jblake@utah.gov)
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